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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Ward et al.
Serial No.: 09/445,640
Filing Date: May 8, 2000
Title: Apparatus and Method for Making Bags of Different Dimensions

Docket No: 42978-01
Examiner: Kim, Eugene
Group Art Unit: 3721

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three (3) month extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a) within which to respond to the Notification of Non-Compliance mailed November 4, 2004, that is, to and including March 4, 2005.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1,020.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1765.

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